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Attorney Docket No. 213338
Client Reference No. 20829

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of:

Murakami et al.

Application No. 09/941,972

Art Unit: 1713

Filed: August 29, 2001

Examiner: J. M. Reddick

For: **ADHESIVE COMPOSITION FOR SKIN
AND ADHESIVE TAPE OR SHEET FOR
SKIN COMPRISING THE
COMPOSITION**

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**TRANSMITTAL OF
APPELLANTS' APPEAL BRIEF**

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.192, appellants hereby submit Appellants' Brief on Appeal in triplicate.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Status of Appellants

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity or a small entity.

2. Fee for Filing Brief on Appeal

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(c), the fee for filing the Brief on Appeal is for: other than a small entity or a small entity.

Brief Fee Due \$320.00

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this document (along with any documents referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Appeal Brief - Patents, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date: June 2, 2003

3. Oral Hearing

Appellants request an oral hearing in accordance with 37 CFR 1.194.

4. Extension of Time

Appellants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00.

Appellants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that appellants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Extension fee due with this request: \$0.00

5. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

Brief on Appeal Fee	\$320.00
Request for Oral Hearing	\$ 0.00
Extension Fee (if any)	\$ 0.00

Total Fee Due: \$320.00

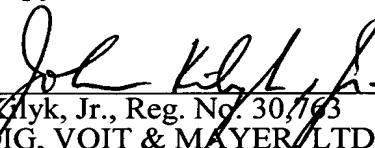
6. Fee Payment

Attached is a check in the sum of \$.

Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$320.00. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

7. Fee Deficiency

If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is attached.


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